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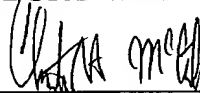
Claims 1 through 43 are now pending in this application. By this Amendment, all multiple dependencies have been removed from claims 19-20, 27-28 and 37. New claims 38-39, 40-41, and 42-43, depending from claims 16, 18 and 19, respectively, have also been included. No new matter has been added.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendment. The attached Appendix is captioned **"Version with markings to show changes made"**.

Early and favorable action on the merits are respectfully requested.

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APPENDIX

VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE CLAIMS:

19. (Amended) A method according to [any one of the preceding claims] claim 1, wherein the CAMEL-related information is added to the header of the IP telephony signalling protocol message.

20. (Amended) A method according to [any one of the preceding claims 1-18] claim 1, wherein the CAMEL-related information is added to the body of the SIP message.

27. (Amended) A communications system according to [any one of the preceding claims 24 to 26] claim 24, wherein the SIP message is a SIP INVITE message comprising CAMEL-related information in the header of the SIP INVITE message.

28. (Amended) A communications system according to [any one of the preceding claims 24 to 26] claim 24, wherein the SIP message is a SIP INVITE message comprising CAMEL-related information in the body of the SIP INVITE message.

37. (Amended) A network node according to [claim 33, 34, 35 or 36] claim 33, wherein the network node comprises a call state control function.

38. (New) A method according to claim 16, wherein the CAMEL-related information is added to the header of the IP telephony signalling protocol message.

39. (New) A method according to claim 16, wherein the CAMEL-related information is added to the body of the SIP message.

40. (New) A method according to claim 17, wherein the CAMEL-related information is added to the header of the IP telephony signalling protocol message.

41. (New) A method according to claim 17, wherein the CAMEL-related information is added to the body of the SIP message.

42. (New) A method according to claim 18, wherein the CAMEL-related information is added to the header of the IP telephony signalling protocol message.

43. (New) A method according to claim 18, wherein the CAMEL-related information is added to the body of the SIP message.